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DRILL STRING
Serial No.: 10/614258
Filed: 8 July 2003
Examiner: TSAY, Frank Art Unit: 3672
Date: 28 July 2004

Mail Stop Amendment
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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**Introductory Comments**

Supplemental to the Amendment filed on 21 July 2004, please amend this application as follows:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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Enclosed are:

- ☒ Supplemental Amendment.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the indicated fees (\$27.00) or credit over-payment, to Account No. 02-1037
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
For	No. after amendment	No. paid for previously	Present Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims (>20)	25	21	4	\$18.00	\$ 72.00
Indep. Claims (>3)	0	0	0	\$86.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dep. Claims	0	0	0	\$280.00	\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEES					\$ 72.00
<i>Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.27)</i>					\$ 36.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 36.00

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	19 minus 20 = *	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 minus 3 = *	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

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SMALL ENTITY TYPE ☐ OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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BASIC FEE	375.00
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X42=	
+140=	
TOTAL	375

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	750.00
X\$18=	
X84=	
+280=	
TOTAL	

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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	Total	* 21 Minus ** 20	= 1
	Independent	* 4 Minus *** 3	= 1
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>		

SMALL ENTITY OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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X42=	43.00
+140=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	52.00

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$18=	
X84=	
+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	* 25 Minus ** 21	= 4
	Independent	* 4 Minus *** 4	= -
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+140=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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X84=	
+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	* Minus **	=
	Independent	* Minus ***	=
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>		

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+140=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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